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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed by the U.S. Patent and trademark Office on September 26, 2005, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on December 26, 2005, the period for response having been extended by the enclosed (one-month) Extension of Time to expire on January 26, 2006, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of each of the outstanding rejections and objections, as well as an indication of the allowability of each of the claims now pending in view of the herein contained amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.  
**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.